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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:  
Christoph LEINDERS

Appl. No. 10/627,988

Confirmation No. 4269

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For: APPARATUS ON A DRAW  
FRAME FOR TEXTILE FIBRE  
MATERIAL

Art Unit: 3765

Examiner: Welch, Gary L.

Atty. Docket No. 32368-189829

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**26694**

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**Amendment and Reply**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the Non-final Office Action dated October 27, 2004, Applicant submits the following Amendment and Reply.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are needed to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims), and any other fee deficiency are hereby authorized to be charged, any overpayments credited to, our Deposit Account No. 22-0261.